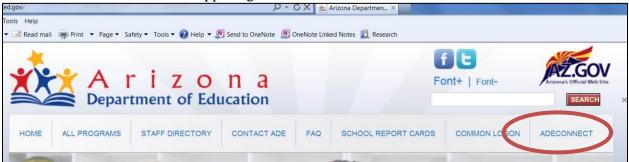
FY 2016 CTE Federal Perkins Grant Application Process

Part I: Entering the GME System for the CTE Federal Perkins Grant

1. Go to the ADE Home Page at http://www.azed.gov/Select ADECONNECT in the upper right hand corner.



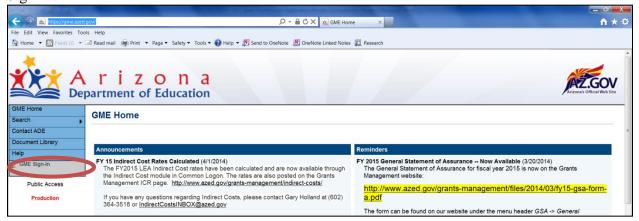
2. Select Grants Management



3. The GME Home page will appear and your name should appear on left-hand column.



4. The GME system can also be accessed through https://gme.azed.gov/. Select GME Sign-In.

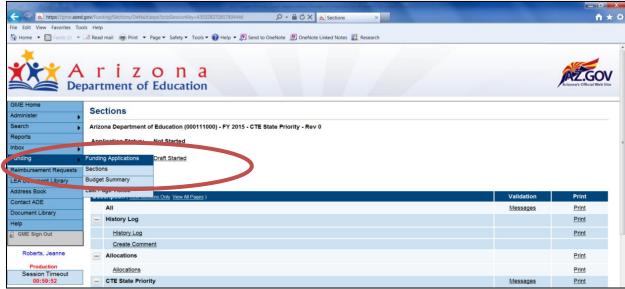


5. Your name should appear on left hand column.

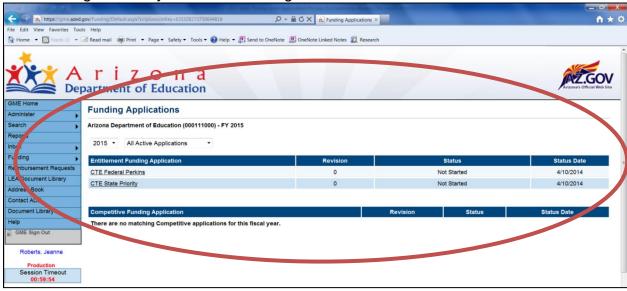


Part II: Creating the CTE Federal Perkins Grant Application

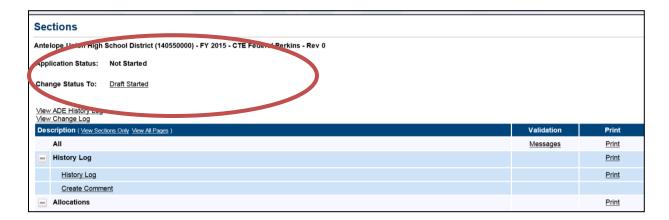
1. Select Funding and Funding Applications



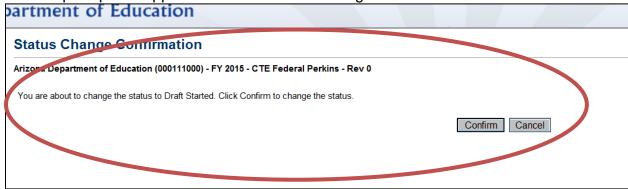
2. The grants available to the district are listed with the status "**Not Started**." Note: The Funding Year may need to be changed to 2016.



3. Select CTE Federal Perkins and then select Draft Started.



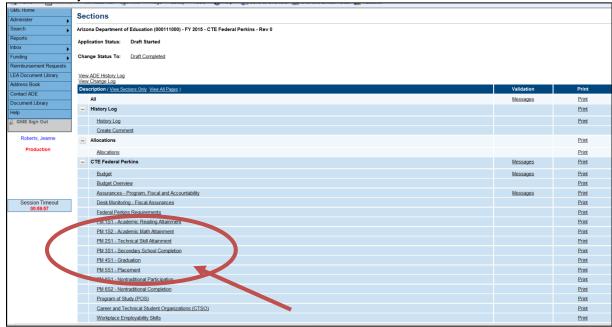
4. This prompt will appear to confirm draft is being started. Select "Confirm".



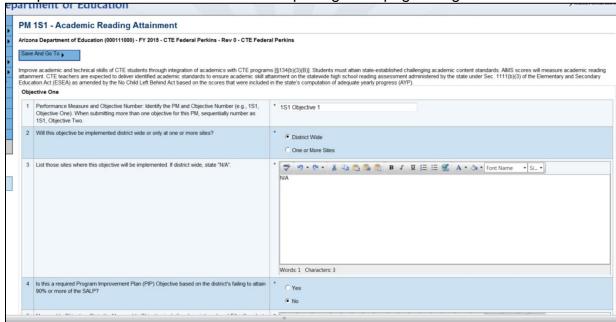
5. The Application Status changed from **Not Started** to **Draft Started**. This page shows all the Sections of the grant application.



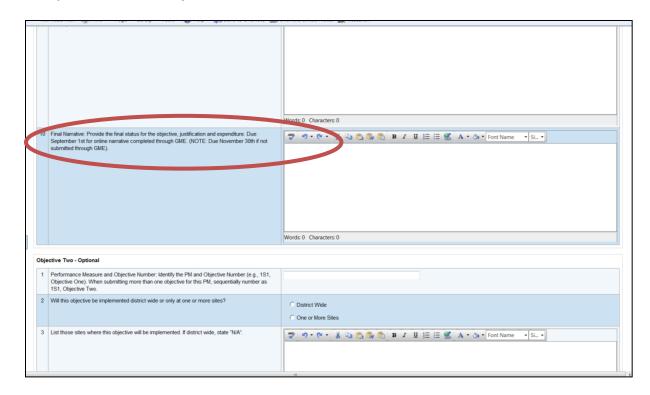
6. This is the Sections page of the application which will appear every time you enter the grant system. The items listed are the same as the items that appeared in the old GME system which include the assurances, desk monitoring and objectives.



7. To complete the Assurances and Objectives, select the item and a new page will open. Follow the instructions for completing each page filling in boxes 1-3.

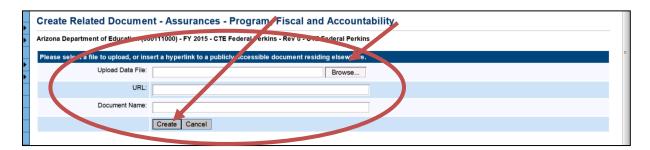


8. On the objectives page, you can develop up to 3 different objectives per Performance Measure if needed. Complete boxes 1-8 and scroll down to the optional second objective.

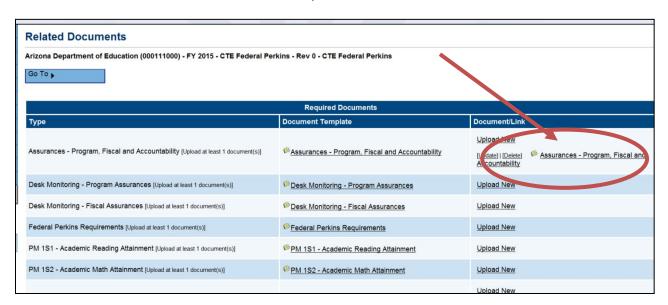


9. In Related Documents, you will find a template for the Desk Monitoring Program Assurances. This is not due until October 1. Select Related Documents on the Sections page, then select Desk Monitoring Program Assurances. Complete the forma and save it to your desktop.

Select **Upload New.** A new page will appear for you to "**Browse**" for the document. Select document and then select **Create**.

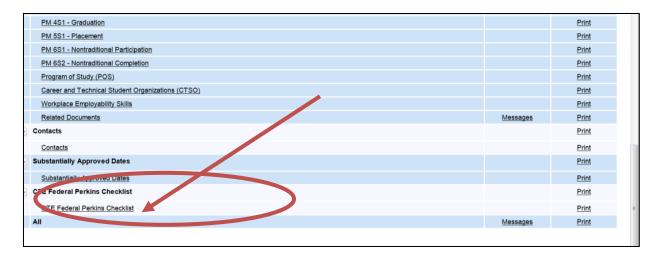


10. This shows the Assurances have been uploaded.

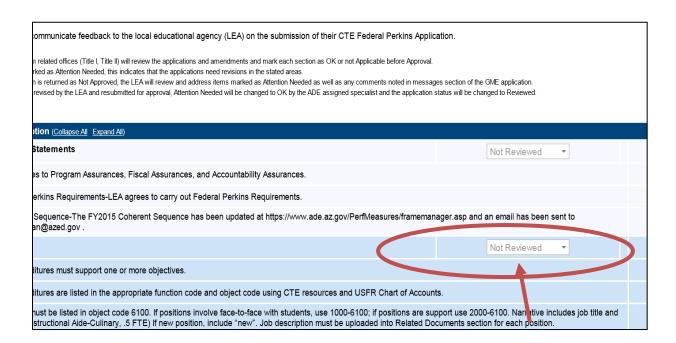


CTE Federal Perkins Checklist

 The most useful resource to use while creating the FY16 CTE Federal Perkins grant application is the CTE Federal Perkins Checklist. This can be found near the bottom of the Sections page of the grant.

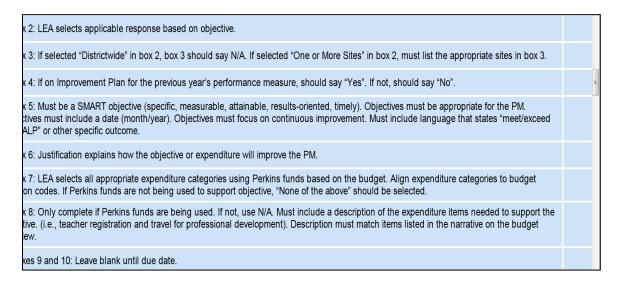


2. Either print the checklist or have it open on the screen while the grant is being developed. It includes all the details, specifics, criteria, etc that will be used to review the application.



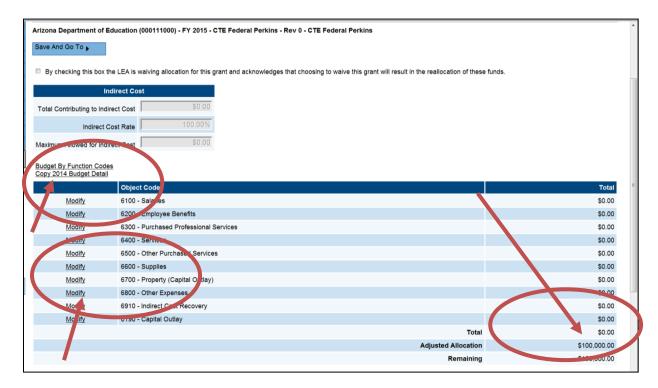
- 3. The assigned GPS will review each section on the checklist and determines if it meets the criteria to be approved. If it does, this box will say OK or approved. It will include the name of the reviewer and the date.
- **4.** If one or more of the items within the section (i.e. budget) need revisions, the item will be identified as "**Attention Needed**" and a narrative will explain what needs to be revised for approval.

For example, if the following objective was reviewed by the GPS, and in box 5, the LEA did not include a date or a specific outcome, the GPS would check box 5 and a Narrative box will pop up below box 5. The GPS would write comments to explain what must be done in that box.

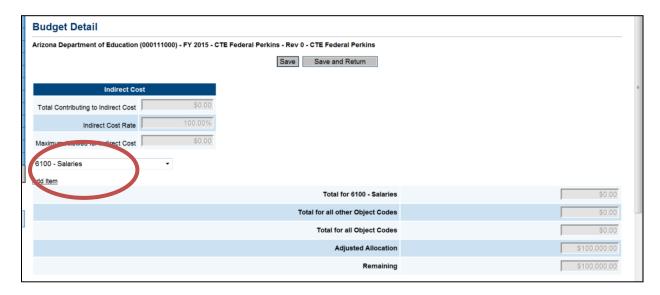


5. The checklist must have OK or Approved in each section before it can be fully approved. Use the checklist in developing the budget, completing the monitoring sections and creating the objectives.

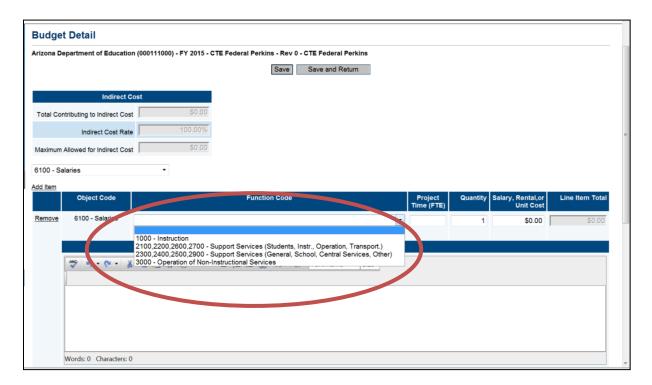
<u>Creating the Budget:</u> The FY2016 allocation has been uploaded into the budget pages.



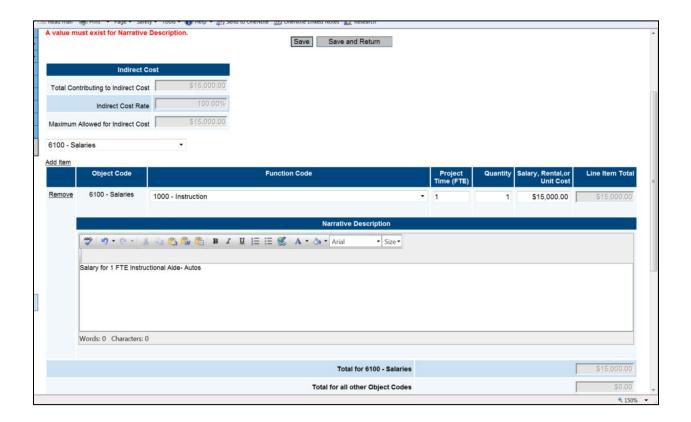
- Modify Budget: Select Modify on the desired object code. If the grant budget will have similar expenditures to the previous year's grant, select Copy 2014
 Budget Detail. Note: Budgets can also be added by object code.
- **2.** On the Budget Detail screen, select **Add Item**. This screenshot illustrates adding by Object code.



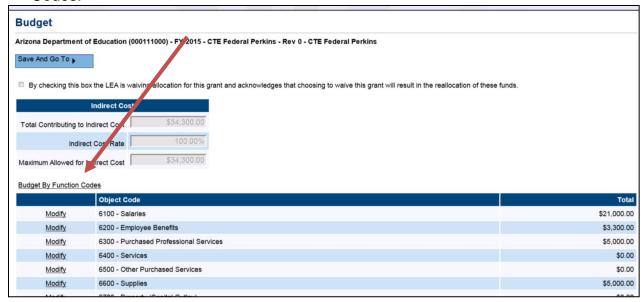
3. On the new page select the Function Code that will be used for the Object Code 6100-Salaries.



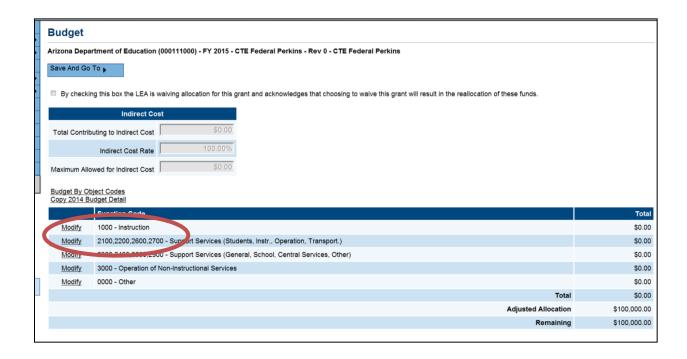
4. After selecting the Function Code add in Unit cost. On positions, the FTE can be added also. A narrative description is required for all expenditure categories. The narrative description is similar to the line item descriptions in the old GME system. Select **Save**.



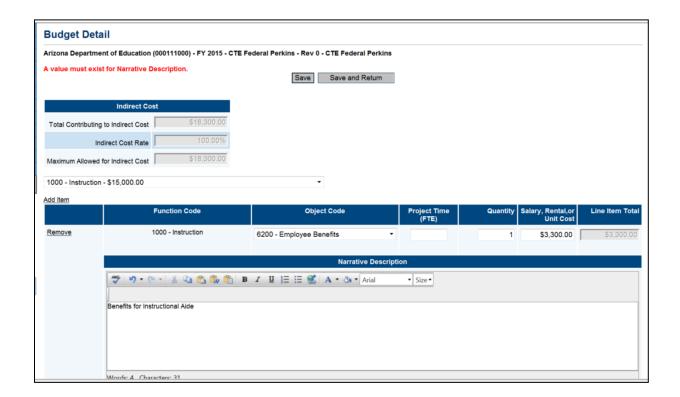
5. If you prefer adding your budget by Function Code, select Budget by Function Codes.



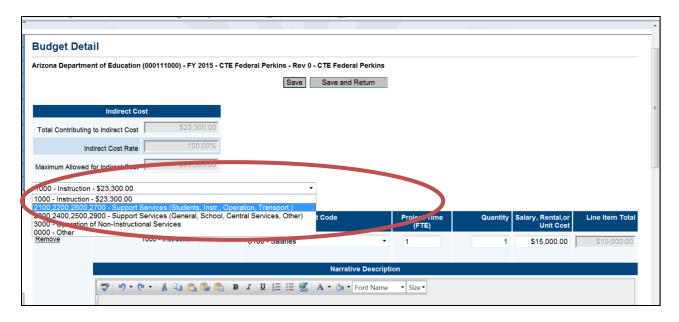
6. Select Modify on the appropriate Function Code requiring a budget.



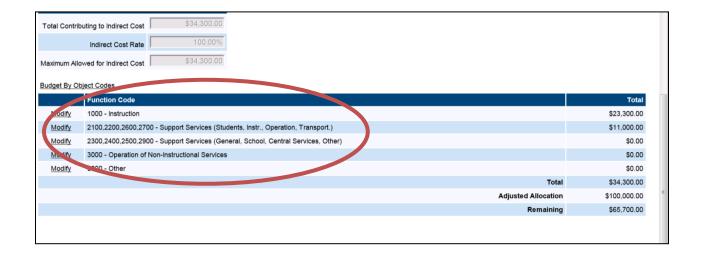
7. In this case, add the item by selecting the appropriate object code, then add the dollar amount and narrative description. Note: All object codes under one function code can be added on this page (i.e. Instructional Salaries, Support Services stipends, etc).



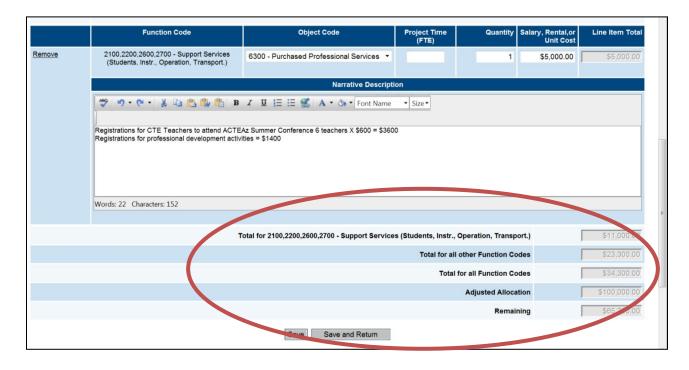
8. A second Function Code can be selected and then the object code selected.



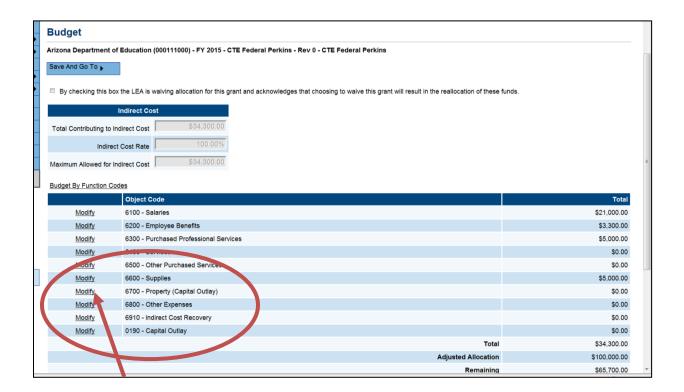
9. Continue adding the expenditures for Instruction, Support Services and Support Services Admin.



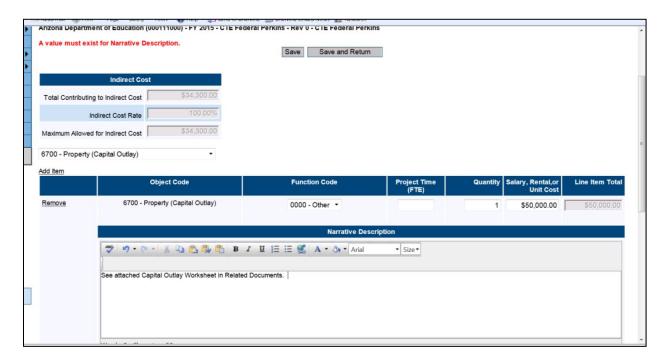
10. The Budget Details page will always give a running total based on the total allocation.



11. Capital must be added by selecting 6700-Property (Capital Outlay) on the **Budget by Object Code page**.



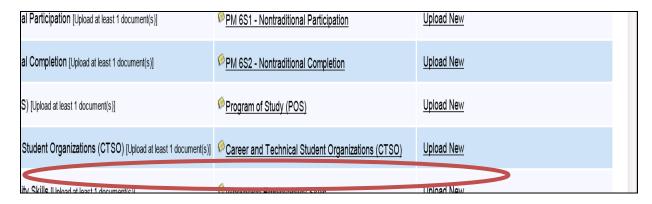
12. Select **Modify** and add the dollar amount for 6700-Capital. Add Item, add total cost, and in narrative description add "See Attached Capital Outlay Worksheet in Related Documents".



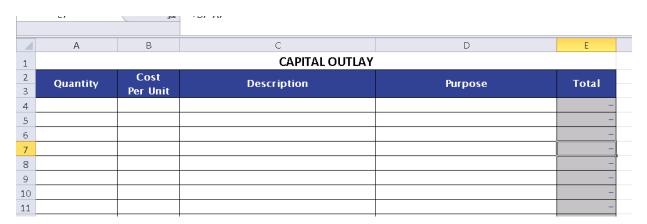
13. Go back to Sections page and select Related Documents.

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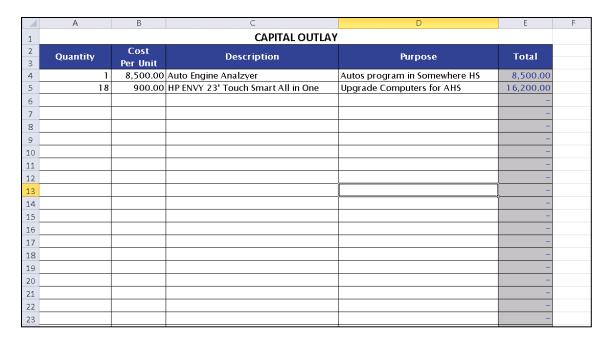
14. Select Capital Outlay Worksheet under Document Templates.



15. An Excel worksheet will appear.



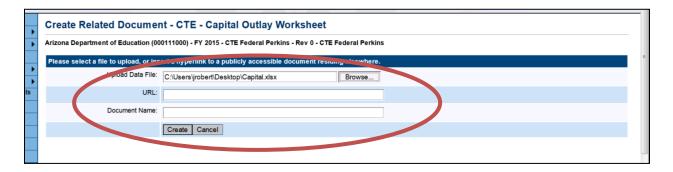
16. List capital outlay items separately. Include quantity, cost per unit, detailed description, and the purpose for the item (what program and site if multi-site district). The chart calculates by line and by total amount.



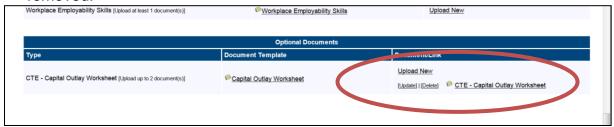
17. When the Capital Outlay worksheet is completed, save it and return to the Related Documents page. Select **Upload New.**



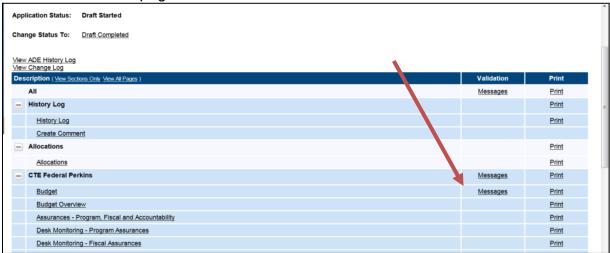
18. Select Browse and then Create to upload the Excel spreadsheet.



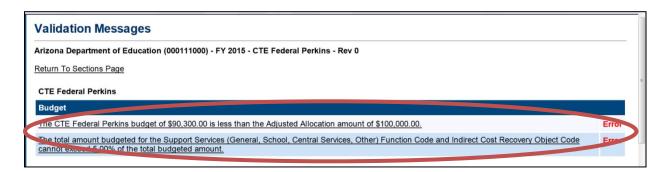
19. The uploaded worksheet is now part of Related Documents. It can be updated or removed.



20. If you have completed all the sections of the application, the next step is to move the application status to **Draft Completed**. However, first review the **Messages** on the Sections page.

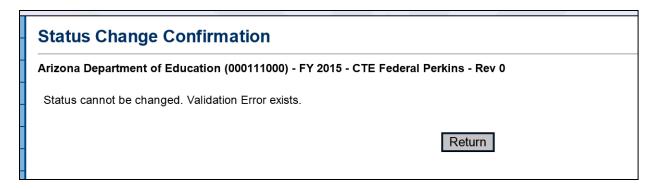


21. The Messages will explain if there is inaccurate information, missing information or other items that are preventing the application from moving to the next status level.



In this case, validations have been set so that the Perkins application cannot be submitted if the 5% Admin cap is exceeded or if the budget is less than the total allocation.

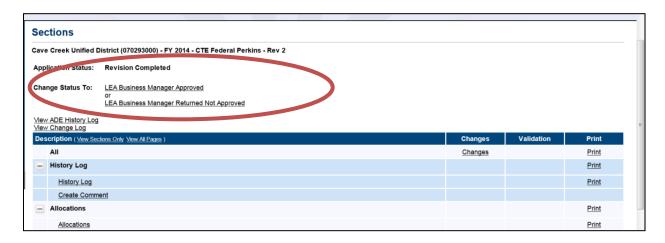
22. If you tried to change the application status to **Draft Completed** when there are outstanding issues, the following message will appear. The application cannot move any further without changes.



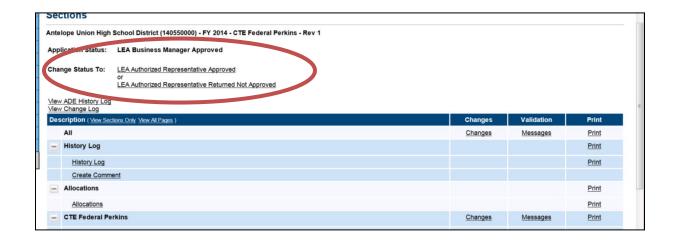
23. Once the validation errors or any other messages are corrected, the application status should be changed to **Draft Completed.**

Note: This does not send the application to ADE for review. All applications must go through two additional status level changes at the LEA (Local Education Agency) before it reaches the Grants Program Specialist at ADE.

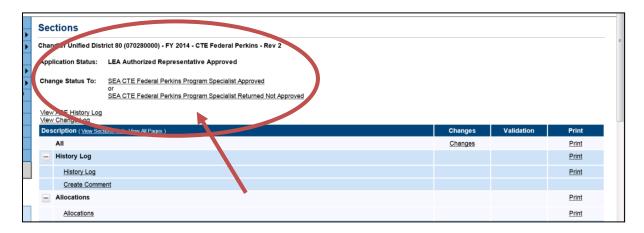
24. Once the application status is changed to **Draft Completed**, the designated LEA Business Manager must change the status to LEA Business Manager Approved or LEA Business Manager Not Approved. (NOTE: The example below shows Revision Completed which is showing an amendment).



25. Once the application status is LEA Business Manager Approved, the designated LEA Authorized Representative must change the status to LEA Authorized Representative Approved or LEA Authorized Representative Not Approved.

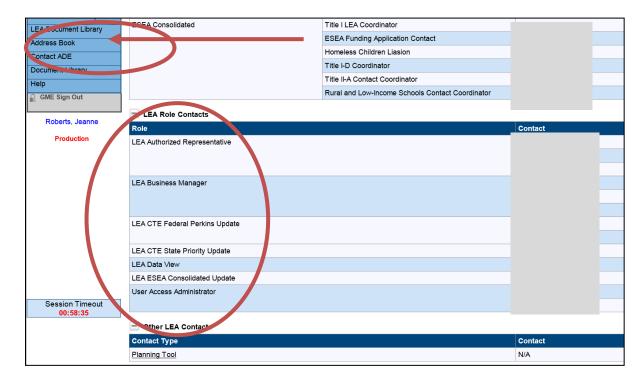


26. The application is not submitted to ADE until the Application Status says **LEA Authorized Representative Approved.**



- **27.** Now it is ready for the assigned Grant Program Specialist to review the application using the checklist.
- 28. There are two levels of approval at the State Education Agency (SEA).
 - a. SEA CTE Federal Perkins Program Specialist Approved (this is your assigned GPS)
 - b. SEA CTE Federal Perkins Director Approved (This is Dan Brown)

NOTE: If you are not sure of the LEA designated role status, refer to the Address Book to see who has been assigned to which role.



The above screen shows the individuals for the different roles in this district.

Final Tips:

- There is a 60 minute time out; however, every time you enter in the system it reloads the time.
- When the project is "not approved", read the comments carefully to make the necessary revisions to move the project through to final approval.
- Contact your Grants Program Specialist with any program or grant questions.
- Refer to resources in the Document Library on the left side of the GME home page for help on navigating the GME system.

